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TAGS: PORG, EAIR, ICAO, XA, SG
SUBJ: OBSERVER INVITATIONS TO 3RD PLENARY SESSION OF AFCAC

LAGOS FOR FAA; CASABLANCA FOR RCAA; MONTREAL FOR ICAO

REF: STATE 052525

1. FOLLOWING RECEIPT REFTEL, EMBASSY OFFICER CONTACTED MR. LOMBOLOU, SEC. GEN. OF AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION COMMISSION (AFCAC). LOMBOLOU EXPRESSED SURPRISE THAT APPROPRIATE USG AGENCY HAD NOT RECEIVED ANNOUNCEMENT LETTER QUOTED REFTEL AND ASSURED US LETTER HAD BEEN SENT TO US ALONG WITH ALL OTHER NON-AFCAC MEMBERS OF ICAO.

2. LOMBOLOU EXPLAINED THAT PROCEDURE IS FOR NATIONS DESIRING OBSERVER STATUS FOR UPCOMING PLENARY SESSION TO RESPOND TO ANNOUNCEMENT LETTER BY EXPRESSION OF INTEREST. AFCAC WILL THEN CONSIDER WHETHER TO EXTEND OBSERVER STATUS TO EACH NATION SO REQUESTING. LOMBOLOU SAID VISIT OF EMBASSY OFFICER WAS SUFFICIENT INDICATION USG INTEREST IN ATTENDING CONFERENCE.

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3. LOMBOLOU SAID HE WAS REQUIRED TO SEEK APPROVAL OF

AFCAC PRESIDENT DUVEMOH, GHANIAN RESIDENT IN ACCRA,
PRIOR TO ISSUANCE ANY FORMAL INVITATIONS. LOMBOLOU
ASSURED EMBASSY OFFICER THAT THIS WAS ONLY FORMALITY
AND PROMISED TO SEND INVITATION TO EMBASSY BY END OF
THIS WEEK FOR TRANSMITTAL TO WASHINGTON.

4. EMBASSY WILL REPORT TEXT OF INVITATION TELEGRAPHICALLY
TO DEPARTMENT UPON RECEIPT FROM AFCAC.

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